

19 $f(1985, B)$ is not listed in the table. However, it is reasonable to expect that its value will be between $f(1980, B)$ and $f(1990, B)$. We can use the midpoint method to estimate this number.

$$f(1985, B) \approx \frac{929,417 + 1,051,344}{2} = 990,380.5 \text{ or } 990,381 \quad (\text{Actual value: } 979,477.)$$